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Applicant respectfully submits the following paper in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006 and requests reconsideration. Applicant also herein requests an extension of the time in order to file a response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006. Any fee required for this extension may be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-0131.

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